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Applicant herewith submits to the United S	states Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information.				
	ems concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C	-				
2. [] This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.						
3. [X] This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include						
items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.						
4. [] The US has been elected (Article 31).						
5. [X] A copy of the International Applie						
 a. [] is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). b. [X] has been communicated by the International Bureau. 						
	•	iving Office (RO/US)				
 c. [] is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). 6. [*] An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2)). 						
a. [X] is attached hereto.	7 m.					
b. [] has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).						
7. [X] Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))						
a. [] are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).						
b. [] have been communicated by the International Bureau.						
c. [] have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.						
d. [X] have not been made and will not be made. 8. [] An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))						
8. [] An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). 9. [] An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).						
P P	of the annexes of the International Preliminar	y Examination Report under PCT Article 36				
(35 U.S.C. 371(c))(5)).						
Items 11 to 20 below concern docum	ent(s) or information included:					
11. An Information Disclosure Staten	• •	·				
12. [] An Assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.						
13. [X] A Preliminary Amendment.						
14. [X] An Application Data Sheet under	37 CFR 1.76.					
15. [] A Substitute Specification.						
16. [] A Power of Attorney and/or Chan						
	sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rul					
	nternational Application under 35 U.S.C. 154					
 19. [] A second copy of the English language translation of the International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). 20. [X] Other items or information: International Publication (front page only) 						
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The following fees are submitted:			Calculations	PTO Use Only		
21. [X] Basic National Fee			\$ 300.00			
22. [X] Examination Fee If International Preliminary Examination Report prepared by USPTO and all claims satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4)			\$ 200.00			
23. [X] Search Fee Search Fee has been paid on the International Application to USPTO as ISA \$100.00 International Search Report prepared and provided to the Office			\$ 400.00			
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =			\$ 900.00			
[] Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding sequence listing or computer program listing filed in an electronic medium). The fee is \$250.00 for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction thereof.						
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127 - 100 =	27/50 =	1	x \$250.00	\$ 250.00		
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Total Claims	10 -20 =	0	x \$50.00			
Independent Claims	1 - 3 =	0	x \$200.00			
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable) + \$360.00						
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =			\$ 1,280.00			
[] Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by ½.						
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b. [] Please charge my Deposit Account No. 50-1446 in the amount of to cover the above fees.						
 c. [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. <u>50-1446</u>. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. 						
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I hereby state that the following attached papers or fee

- Transmittal Letter to the U.S. DO Concerning a Filing Under 37 U.S.C. 371 (2 pages) (in duplicate),
- A Patent Application Bibliographic Data Sheet (8 pages),
- An English Translation of the International Application as-filed consisting of 122 pages of Specification (pages 1-122), 4 pages of Claims (10 claims, 1 ind.) (pages 123-126) and 1 page Abstract (page 127),
- PCT/RO/101 (pages 1/9-9/9)
- PCT/IB/308 (2 pages) (First Notice and Supplementary Notice)
- International Publication (front page only),
- International Search Report (2 pages),
- A Preliminary Amendment (pages 1-7),
- Our check in the amount of \$1,280.00 for:

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